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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Lawrence R. Green et al.

Application No.: 09/506,430

Filed: February 17, 2000

For: PHARMACEUTICAL
ANGIOSTATIC DIPEPTIDE
COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS OF
USE THEREOF

Examiner: Lukton, David

Art Unit: 1653

AMENDMENT AND COMMUNICATION

UNDER

37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 18, 2001, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 3, line 9, with the following:

--As used herein, a derivative of the R'-Glu-Trp-R" dipeptide includes

those in which the dipeptide is derivatized by the covalent attachment of a moiety at R'

and/or R". This includes, for example, pharmaceutically acceptable salts of the dipeptide,

amides, imides, esters, anhydrides, ethers, methyl or ethyl-alkyl esters, alkyl, aryl or

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